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PATENT  
3430-0131P

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: HWANG, Kwang-Jo Conf.: 5562  
Appl. No.: 09/648,111 Group: 2815  
Filed: August 25, 2000 Examiner: Brock II, P.  
For: METHOD OF PATTERNING A METAL LAYER IN A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

LARGE ENTITY TRANSMITTAL FORM  
FOR REPLY AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated June 26, 2003, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes Amendments to the Claims and Remarks.

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